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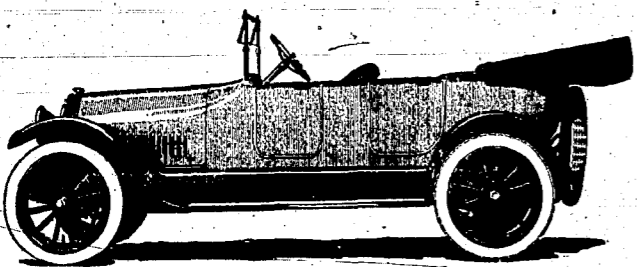
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APRIL ELECTION NEXT MONDAY

**State and Townships Present
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Next Monday will be held the regu-
lar spring election. There will be a
state and township ticket as well as
five amendments to be voted for and
the voter will be burdened with bal-
lots galore. It is bound to be a long
and tedious task for the voter to
plough thru the mass of ballots, and
also a big job for the election inspec-
tors.

Locally there seems to be very little
interest in the affair, and what there
is seems to be on the part of the can-
didates themselves. Melvin A. Bates
will fight it out with Walmer Jorgenson
for the office of supervisor, Jerry
Lovely and Peter F. Jorgensen are
after the office of highway commis-
sioner and Justice Frank H. Milks,
re-nominated for the office of justice of
the peace is being opposed by William
McCullough. Outside of these candi-
dates there seems to be nothing doing.

There are several contests among
the candidates in outlying townships
in the county. Supervisor Charles
Craven, of Frederic, is out for re-elec-
tion. He is opposed by Floyd Goshorn.

There is but one ticket in Maple
Forest but James F. Knibbs, candi-
date for supervisor, is being opposed
by Ed. Feldhauser, who is running on
slips.

Homer Benedict and Frank E. Love
appear to be making a stir in Beaver
Creek township.

We herewith publish the list of can-
didates and their respective parties in
each of the townships of the county:

Grayling Township.

REPUBLICAN.

Supervisor—Melvin A. Bates.

Clerk—(no nomination).

Treasurer—Holger Hanson.

Justice of the Peace, full term—

Frank Freeland.

Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy—

Frank H. Milks.

Highway Com.—Jerry Lovely.

Member of Board of Review—James

W. Sorenson.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—

Daniel Hoelsch.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—

Henry Stephan.

Constables—Mike Brenner, William

H. Miller, Chris. Jensen, Carl Larson.

DEMOCRAT.

Supervisor—Walmer Jorgenson.

Clerk—Harry Hill.

Treasurer—Hans Petersen.

Justice of the Peace, full term—Ed

G. Clark.

Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy—

Wm. McCullough.

Highway Commissioner—Peter F.

Jorgensen.

Member of Board of Review—J. C.

Burton.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—

Rasmus Rasmussen.

Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—

Henry Feldhauser.

Constables—Ed. J. Stillwell, Julius

Nelson, John Olson, Johannes Ras-

mussen.

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP.

REPUBLICAN.

Supervisor—Charles Craven.

Clerk—James A. Kalahar.

Treasurer—Charles S. Barber.

Justice, full term—Wallace S. Ritter.

Justice, 2 years—John J. Higgins.

Justice, 1 year—Edward V. Barber.

Com. of Highways—B. Peter John-

son.

Overseer of Highways—James Pratt.

Member Board of Review—George

Burkhardt.

Constables—Harry Higgins, John

D. Lammiman, Richard Drescher, Er-

nest B. Barber.

CITIZEN'S

Supervisor—Floyd A. Goshorn.

Clerk—John W. Burke.

Treasurer—George Hunter.

Justice, full term—Ugus R. Layman.

Justice, 2 years—Joseph Bigelow.

Justice, 1 year—Norman Fisher.

Com. of Highways—George Horton.

Overseer of Highways—Daniel Mc-

Dermald.

Member Board of Review—George

H. Martin.

Constables—Frank McGuire, Archie

Kennedy, Wilson Patterson, Ezra

Highlen.

Beaver Creek Township.

REPUBLICAN.

Supervisor—Homer G. Benedict.

Clerk—John A. Love.

Treasurer—Albert W. Lindahl.

Justice—John R. Skingley.

Highway Com.—Ralph Hanna.

Overseer of Highways, T 25-4 W—

Jens Hanson.

Overseer of Highways, T 25-3 W—

Alton Broth.

Board of Review—George R. Annis.

CITIZEN'S

Supervisor—Frank E. Love.

Clerk—Herbert E. Parker.

Treasurer—Hans Christenson.

Justice, full term—Frank Taylor.

Highway Com.—Charles Sholtz.

Overseer of Highways, T 25-4 W—



HATCHERY DISTRI- BUTING TROUT FRY

**CHINOOK SALMON FRY FEED-
ING AT HATCHING.**

The annual distribution of the Brook
Trout fry is now at hand and some
2,500,000 fry will be distributed be-
tween Detroit and Mackinaw on the
M. C. R. R. The fry at the Hatchery
are the finest that can be had, and
there are now 1,000,000 feeding in the
hatchery and races outside.

A short time ago Supt. Zalsman
went to Comstock Park hatchery and
brought back 7000 Chinook Salmon, which
are now feeding at the hatchery. These
Salmon are natives of the Pacific
coast, all the way from California
to Alaska, and have been caught in
the Yukon river, Alaska, to weigh 100
pounds. In size, no other salmon in
the world compares with it, but fur-
ther south it grows smaller and in
California they average about fifteen
pounds.

These fish are caught when they go
up the river to spawn in fresh water.
They do not spawn in salt water, and
as soon as they have spawned, return
to the ocean; if they are able to do so,
for they sometimes go up the river so
far, or until half their bodies are ex-
posed to the air. The salmon that
spawn a long distance from the ocean
do not return to it again, but die on or
near their spawning grounds.

Some say that salmon spawn only
once, but this is disputed by some
fishermen, but no one has made a
study of these fish to know whether
they spawn more than once or not. It
is also said that to make the eggs fer-
tile the fish must return to the salt
water. This will be tried at the local
hatchery and some of these fish will
be kept here until they are old enough
to spawn and see whether the eggs
can be taken and fertilized in fresh
water. It is said this will take about
four years. Some of these fry will be
put into K. P. lake to see what they
will do, as there is no outlet to this
lake, for if the salmon can get out
they will go to the ocean if they can
find their way, no matter the distance.

Mr. Zalsman does not think that
salmon raised in fresh water will have
the beautiful red colored flesh but will
have a pale pink or cream color.

John Moon.
Overseer of Highways, T 25-3 W—
Frank Friend.
Board of Review—David Raymond.
Constables—Carl Christenson, Her-
man Miller, Albert Moon, Lewis
Beach.

Lovells Township.

CITIZEN'S

Supervisor—J. E. Kellogg.

Clerk—Joseph J. Kennedy.

Treasurer—Ray Owens.

Justice, full term—E. A. Pierce.

Com. of Highways—Clarence Still-

wagon.

Overseer of Highways, T 27 N-R 1 W

Nicholas Sikora.

Overseer of Highways, T 28 N-R 2 W

Judson McCormick.

Board of Review, two years—T. E.

Douglas.

Constables—Percy Budd, M. McCor-

mick, Joseph Vance, Alfred Nephew.

South Branch Township.

REPUBLICAN

Supervisor—Oliver B. Scott.

Clerk—Lloyd Gregory.

Treasurer—Enoch Turner.

Highway Com.—Harry Souders.

Justice—John Corwin.

Justice, vacancy—Joseph Scott.

Board of Review—E. P. Richardson.

DEMOCRAT.

Supervisor—Charles A. Cook.

Clerk—John F. Floeter.

Treasurer—J. J. Royce.

Highway Com.—James H. Williams.

Justice—James Crane.

Justice, vacancy—Wellman Knight.

Board of Review—Hugo Schreiber.

vacancy—George

Royce.

Maple Forest Township Ticket.

CITIZEN'S

Supervisor—James F. Knibbs.

Clerk—Rufus Edmonds.

Treasurer—Oscar Charron.

Highway Com.—Herbert Knibbs.

Member of Board of Review—Wil-

liam Feldhauser.

Justice of the Peace—Roberts.

Our Want Ads Bring Quick Results.

STATE BASKET BALL TOURNAMENT

**THE DETROIT NORTHWESTERN
HIGH IS WINNER.****Karpus Picked as Forward for
All-State Team.**

Detroit Northwestern high school
won the State basketball champion-
ship at Ann Arbor Saturday after-
noon by defeating Jackson high school
24 to 21 in the final battle of the three-
day series. Jackson took second place
while Detroit Central and Grand Rap-
ids Central, who fought their way into
the semi final round, were bracketed in
the next two positions.

Northwestern defeated Grand Hav-
en, Cadillac, Grayling, Hart, Grand
Rapids Central, and Jackson in turn,
and has an undisputed claim to the
state high school title. Jackson beat
Arthur Hill, Cheboygan, Detroit Cen-
tral, only to lose out in the champion-
ship round by three points in a gruel-
ing game.

The cup, for most points scored
went to Henderson of Northwestern
with 58 points. Gold basketballs went
to players and coach of the same team
with a championship cup to be held
for one year. Cups went to players
and coach of Jackson, with basketballs
going to the Detroit Central and Grand
Rapids Central squads and their
coaches. Ribbons went to the two all-
state teams picked at the close of the
series. These teams follow:

First team—Whitlock, Detroit Cen-
tral, and Henderson, Northwestern.
Forwards: Isbell, Jackson; center:
Houston, Grand Rapids Central, and
Cappon, Holland (Capt.), guards. Sec-
ond team—Pacynski, Bay City West-
ern, Karpus, Grayling, Mitchell-Jack-
son, forwards; Van Rossum, Grand
Rapids Central, center; Brooks, Ar-
thur Hill (Capt.), Wilson, Detroit Cen-
tral, guards.

The Grayling basketball team, after
winning the State championship
against all schools of the state with
high school enrollment of 200 or less,
at Ypsilanti, rested a few days and
then entered the contest at Ann Arbor,
open for all high schools of the state.
They started in the first game with
Ann Arbor, winning with a score of
20 to 16. The same day they played
Pontiac and won 18 to 16.

Their next contest was with the fast
Northwestern, High of Detroit, and in
this game they lost 30 to 13. This was
the only game they lost during the
season. The game with the latter
team was fast and furious and at the
finish our boys were completely worn
out. This eliminated Grayling from
further contest. Their victors easily
proved themselves the strongest team
that took part in the tournament. Dur-
ing the Grayling game they substituted
seven different players, thus giv-
ing them fresh men at quite regular
intervals, while Grayling played all
the Ypsilanti games and Ann Arbor
games and during this time used but
one substitute. Excellent authority,
the Ann Arbor coach, stated that had
the Grayling players been fresh and
free from bodily bruises they would
have had equal opportunity to win
from the Northwesterns.

During both tournaments our boys
covered themselves with glory by
their fine playing. Karpus was easily
the star at Ypsilanti, coming in for
strong praise, as did also Thompson,
while Melstrup, Doroh and Shaahan
all played wonderful basketball and
equally deserved the fine credit they
received. But one time did Case get
into the game and that was with the
Northwestern and he played a fast,
effective game. Chamberlin, who was
in uniform as "sub" did not get into
any of the games. He had not been
playing on the team all season and
was not quite prepared, unless cir-
cumstances required it, to enter into
these tournament games. No doubt
he will "make" the first team next
season.

Despondency Due to Constipation.

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School Notes

Pearl Engel has left school.

Martha North of the third grade has

returned from Battle Creek.

Wesley Slingerland is back in school

after an absence of three weeks be-

cause of sickness.

Our victorious basketball team is

again in school after having had a

very strenuous vacation.

The physics class having completed

the study of electricity begins the

study of light today.

To our gymnasium equipment has

just been added twenty four sections

of wall bars, two vaulting horses, two

mats and a vaulting box. In addition

to these we have been given permis-

sion to use some apparatus from the

Danish gymnasium. This makes a

great improvement. There are many

ways of preparedness but they will all

fail unless physical and spiritual pre-

paredness are put first. We rule over

nature by placing ourselves under the

laws of nature.

The Good Fellowship club and the

Grayling Woman's club have present-

ed the school with an emergency cabi-

net containing bandages, ointments,

adhesive tape, scissors, tourniquet,

safety pins, etc. We commend the

two clubs for their thoughtfulness and

thank them for their useful gift. It

has been placed in the rest room

where it is accessible whenever needed.

The botany class, assembled at four

o'clock last Friday and went to visit

the Grayling Greenhouses. Here they

saw numerous things that they had

never before observed concerning the

structure and parts of flowers that

they have been studying. At five

o'clock, each carrying a carnation pre-

sented by Mr. Cook, they returned to

the gymnasium for their supper and a

short social time.

Our High school has the honor and

distinction of being represented on

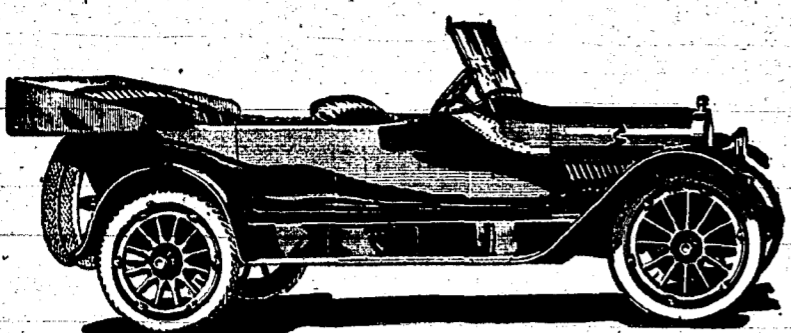
the All-State second basketball team.

Arthur Karpus shares the position of

left forward with a Jackson man.

The Michigan Daily (Ann Arbor) says

"Karpus of Grayling and Mitchell of



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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 29



"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty."

Local News

Have you got your 1917 license???

Fred Nairn of Sigma was in Grayling on business yesterday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Olson Monday, March 26. Miss Jesse Failing of Lovells visited her parents here Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Beulah Lantz left Tuesday night for Detroit to visit her sister, Mrs. Snyder.

Wm. North and Jay Lake and families have moved back to Grayling from Battle Creek.

Miss Virginia Bingham will leave tonight for Chicago to spend the Spring vacation week with friends.

Patsy McKay, who has been very ill at his home for the past month was removed to Mercy hospital Sunday for treatment.

O. P. Schumann has purchased the J. K. Hanson residence, lately occupied by T. W. Hanson, and the family will move into it next week.

Miss Marie Hutchinson of Vanderbilt, was a guest of Mrs. Eileen Burritt over last Sunday, having come to attend the dancing party Saturday evening.

Frank Dreese left Tuesday afternoon for Chicago to purchase spring goods. He will visit at Grand Rapids and at his old home in Sparta on his return home.

Miss Matilda Cook, who has been an operator at the telephone exchange at Onaway for the past couple of months returned home Tuesday to assist her father in the Greenhouses.

P. P. Mahoney purchased the residence on Michigan avenue last week occupied by Eber Matson and family, and owned by the John Everett Estate. Mr. Mahoney and family expect to move into their home this week.

Mrs. J. Lee Morford of Gaylord spent Monday with Mrs. George Alexander. Mrs. Morford came in response to an invitation from the Goodfellow ship club, to give some musical numbers for a musical program they were having.

The members of the Rebekah lodge gave a pleasant party at the home of Miss Carrie Jorgenson Monday evening to celebrate two of their members' birthdays Mrs. Martha Hill and Miss Edna McCullough. A social evening was enjoyed and at a delicious luncheon that followed Mrs. Hill and Miss McCullough were presented with pretty hand-painted china plates as tokens of remembrance.

Lieut. Edward Spies of troop A cavalry, who has established his home here in Grayling, returned home Monday morning from El Paso, Texas, where he had been with his troops since last October. He is considering the raising of a troop of cavalry in Grayling. The state department has received orders from the government to increase their militia to 12,000 men, or about \$8,000 more than they now have enrolled.

Mrs. George F. Smith entertained a number of young ladies at her home Tuesday evening at a Spring party to honor her daughter, Miss Florence, who is home to enjoy the Easter vacation. The decorations were suggestive of Spring, sweet peas and pussy willows being used. In a flower contest, Mrs. Lillian Burritt was awarded the prize, and Miss Marguerite Lockwood was successful in winning the prize in an Easter egg hunt. At ten o'clock a pretty two-course buffet luncheon was much enjoyed by the twenty-five guests.

Saginaw Central high school basketball team played Grayling in the High school gymnasium last night, the latter winning with a score of 50 to 28. There was nothing to it but to win and make all the scores we wanted to. Even at that our boys played way below their usual standard. The first half was featured by many fumbles. Grayling scored often and played a listless game until Saginaw made two baskets, then our boys got busy and run up 24 points before the whistle blew after the first half. In the second half Saginaw had still less chance to score but managed to equal their first half score, one basket being made from nearly the middle of the floor. Grayling made 26 points in the last half. Of the points made Karpus made 34, Meistrup 10, Shanahan 2, Doroh 2 and Case 2. Thompson made no points but, as usual, did very effective work as guard. This will probably be the last game of the season for Grayling. The school will soon be turning its attention to base ball for its athletics, and there appears to be timber that is sure to put us in the front rank in this line of sport.

Miss Laura Simpson of Laurium, Mich., is home for the Spring vacation.

Miss Mildred Schreck of Bay City, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schreck.

Add 1000 or more miles to your old, worn-out tires by using Maxotires. Guaranteed against blow-outs for one year. Henry Joseph, distributor.

Mrs. Wm. J. Teare of Bay City visited her husband here over Sunday last, returning to Bay City Monday afternoon. They will occupy the Wilhelm Kaas residence soon as the latter moves to Johannesburg.

J. A. Garden of Kalkaska county, will hold an auction sale at his farm on Tuesday, April 10, commencing at ten o'clock a. m. He has a goodly number of horses, and farm implements of all kinds to dispose of. For further particulars, we call your attention to his advertisement in this paper.

Clarence Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Johnson, of this city, who enlisted in Ambulance Co. No. 2 at Bay City last June and who has been stationed with the troops at the border, arrived home last Saturday afternoon. He recently returned with his company from the border, where they had been in service since last October. They, with other Auxiliary troops, were mustered out of service last Friday. He spent a short time enroute home with his sister in Saginaw, arriving home Saturday afternoon. He is looking fine, and says he is feeling good. He says that he has covered a good deal of country since he left here last fall and has had a lot of good experience and has seen a lot of wonderful things. He says he would not give the experience he has had for a good deal. He had been employed at the DuPont offices in Bay City before enlisting, but he expects to remain at home now. His friends are all glad to have him back again.

Correspondence.

Lovells.

L. W. Decker left Lovells Tuesday, his place being fitted at the mill by Mr. Cataline of Gaylord.

T. E. Douglas was a Grayling caller Monday.

Mrs. C. Stillwagon and children returned home from West Branch, where she visited her mother, who has been very sick. She left her much improved.

Newell Underhill and Miss Jesse Failing spent a couple of days in Grayling.

C. F. Underhill returned to Lovells the latter part of last week from New York. A new wife accompanied him to his home.

Mr. Clarkson is preparing to move his family back to Lovells from Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy were in Grayling last Friday.

D. Isbister went to Grayling Monday, returning Tuesday with his wife, who has been at Mercy hospital for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Wakeley and children of Sigbee spent Sunday at Robert Papenfus.

Louise Hanna returned home Sunday from Sigbee.

Mrs. Caid returned home Monday from a visit with relatives in Bay City and Lansing.

Frederic News.

S. Barber is again on the street. Everybody busy before election.

T. D. Lewis has purchased a new Ford.

Mrs. Sapperson of Alba was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Abrahams last week.

Great days for the little boys. So many rivers to watch; so many dams to build. "Such fun!"

Chas. Craven Sunday with his wife, who is still at Mercy hospital.

Russell Lewis was on the street Saturday with a bandaged hand. He sprained his wrist.

Mrs. McCracken enjoyed a visit from her daughter, Lizzie, last week.

Supt. Wood goes to Mt. Morris next year as Superintendent of schools at that place. We wish them success in their new field.

It is reported that Earl Barber and Roy Wells are about to enlist.

Mrs. Martin, who has been very ill for some time is now insane. At present she is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Terhune.

Emerson Terhune, who is Superintendent of schools at Buckley, Mich., has been offered the same position for the coming year at a goodly increase of salary.

The M. F. Ladies' aid gave Mrs. Andrew Brown a farewell reception at the home of Mrs. Abrahams, Wednesday last. Mrs. Emmett Lewis, with fitting remarks, presented her with a set of table linen in behalf of the Ladies' aid. Everyone departed voting Mrs. Abrahams a splendid hostess and wishing Mrs. Brown the greatest of blessings in her new home.

The Pneumonia Season.

The cold, damp weather of March seems to be the most favorable for the pneumonia germ. Now is the time to be careful. Pneumonia often results from a cold. The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. As to the value of this preparation, ask anyone who has used it.

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Bennett-Keely.

A very pretty wedding was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bennett, March 28 at 5:00 p. m. when Edna, their youngest daughter, was united in marriage to Mr. Earl Keely, of Auburn, Michigan. Mrs. Lawrence Zimmerman of Boyne City, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Leon LaMotte as best man. Rev. Mitchell performed the ceremony.

There were about forty guests present. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. George County, Mrs. Lawrence Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keely, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Boss and son, Roy.

The young couple received many pretty and useful gifts.

There will be an Easter dinner at the Grange hall Saturday, April 7. All Grangers are requested to be present. 3-35

CHEERFUL WORDS.

For Many a Grayling Household.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove helpful to hundreds of Grayling readers.

Peter Wm. Christenson, Chestnut St., Grayling, says: "I have used Doan's Kidney pills on different occasions in the past, getting them at Lewis' Drug store, and they have always proved of great benefit to me. When my back has been weak or lame and the kidney secretions have been too frequent in passage, I have used Doan's Kidney pills. They have always cured me of the attack."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Christenson uses. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. adv.

Our Want Ads Bring Quick Results.

Automobile Owners

Take Notice

Now is the time to get your automobiles painted if they need painting or cleaned and polished to make them look neat and like new.

Prices on painting cars of all makes cheerfully given, according to what you want, done in the way of painting, etc. Don't wait until too late in the spring.

Conrad Sorenson

Painter and Decorator

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted on this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line, Monday through Saturday. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH THE ORDER.

FOR SALE—My Buick automobile, cheap or for first payment on house in Grayling. Automobile in good condition, except tires. Mrs. Jennie Richardson, Roscommon. 3-29-2

GIRL WANTED—Address the Underhill club, Lovells, Mich. 11.

FOR SALE—8 room house, hardwood floors, built four years. Terms part cash, bal. monthly. Key at Avalanche office. 3-29-2

FOR RENT—Almost new eight room house. Vacant April 1st. Write Tom Shaw, 49 Assumption St. Windsor, Ont. 3-29-2

FOR SALE—Mare colt, 4 years old, and a horse colt, two years old. Inquire at Manistee house, after 4:00 p. m. for Frank Zerkelberger, Phone 1121. 3-29-2

FOR SALE—Building lots. Best location in town. Easy terms or cash. Nick Schlotz. 3-29-3

FOR SALE—Horse, weight 1300; buggy, work harness and buggy harness. Reasonable terms. Inquire of H. Borchers, South side. 3-29-3

FOR SALE—House and lot, located corner Lake and Chestnut streets, one block from school house; nearly new, modern conveniences. Address or call P. Martin Peterson, Grayling. 3-22-3

FOR SALE—Garland Base burner and a smaller heater that will burn any kind of fuel. Phone 42, or call at the house first door south of hospital. Mrs. O. P. Schumann. 3-22-3

FOR SALE—At a bargain one thirty-five horse power auto, as good as new; used six months. Joe Krass. 3-22-3

FOR SALE—House and lot; modern conveniences. Fine location. Inquire of Avalanche office. 3-22-3

FOR SALE—Good work horse, weight 1200 lbs. Inquire at Milk's meat market. 3-22-2

FOR SALE—80 acre farm; Clare Co. Good 6 room house; barn; out-building; school; telephone. A bargain. Write owner, J. V. Ruby, Clare, Mich., R. 6. 3-15-3

FOR SALE—One vacant lot, one 40-acre farm, and one house and lot. For particulars inquire at Avalanche office. 3-1-8

Increase your income. Different wild herbs and roots in your locality have increased from \$1.00 to \$5.00 per pound. Learn now the kinds to gather, market or cultivate. Last season one digger made \$140.00 in two weeks. Enclose this clipping today for Free Facts on Medicinal plants, to Badger Medical Plant Growers, Rhineland, Wis.

Despondency Due to Constipation. Women often become nervous and despondent. When this is due to constipation it is easily corrected by taking an occasional dose of Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

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VALLEY CITY MILLING CO.,
Grand Rapids, Mich.

no points but, as usual, did very effective work as guard. This will probably be the last game of the season for Grayling. The school will soon be turning its attention to base ball for its athletics, and there appears to be timber that is sure to put us in the front rank in this line of sport.

pneumonia germ. Now is the time to be careful. Pneumonia often results from a cold. The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger. As soon as the first indication of a cold appears take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. As to the value of this preparation, ask anyone who has used it.

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There may be circumstances under which "a fair exchange is no robbery" but it won't work in a reputable drug store. In such a store

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Your doctor is supposed to know what he orders in the prescription he gives you, and we **FILL IT TO THE LETTER**, or not at all.

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Competent workman in charge and expert workmanship guaranteed.

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Next Door to Central Drug Store

Grayling, Mich.

Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 29

Newell Underhill of Lovells was in Grayling Monday.

Fred Aebli is ill at his home with an attack of la grippe.

Easter is Rosary time. You will find them at Hathaway's.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Babbitt are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Sunday, March 25.

George Isenbauer was taken to Mercy hospital Monday being seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia.

Fr. Nye of Cheboygan spent a few days of last week visiting Fr. Riess here at St. Mary's parsonage.

Save tire expense by using Maxotires. They will save you about 500%.

Henry Joseph, distributor.

The Junior Aid society will hold a 10 cent parcel post sale at the Post office Saturday afternoon, March 31.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter No. 83, O. E. S. on Wednesday evening, April 4th. Election of officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shoemaker and little son, Charles, of Bay City were guests at the P. Martin Peterson home over Sunday.

Mrs. John Charlefour left Saturday morning for Cadillac, on account of the illness of her little grand daughter, Madonna Cariveau.

There will be Confirmation services in the Danish-Lutheran church next Sunday morning, April 1, beginning at ten o'clock. There will be no Sunday school for the children.

F. S. Hunter of Grand Rapids, succeeds Geo. T. Jones as salesman for the National Biscuit company in Northeastern Michigan. He arrived last week, and will make his home in Grayling.

Next Monday is election.

Louis Burton is the new clerk at the Simpson Grocery.

Carl Babbitt is leaving for Detroit tonight to seek employment.

Express Agent Guy Pringle spent Sunday visiting friends in Detroit.

Elmer Christenson of Detroit arrived Saturday for a visit with old friends here.

Do you carry one of Hathaway's watches? If not—why not?—\$1.00 per week if you say so.

The tenth annual Masonic ball will be held in the school gymnasium Wednesday evening, April 11.

Merle Dolby of Ypsilanti, is in the city calling on some of the numerous friends he made while in camp here last summer.

Ralph Clarkson and family, who have spent the winter here are moving back to their former home at Lovells this week.

Add 1000 or more miles to your old, worn-out tires by using Maxotires. Guaranteed against blow-outs for one year.

Henry Joseph, distributor.

Our old friends Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Walton, of Bay City, who have been spending the winter in Crossville, Tenn., returned to their home the fore part of this week.

Ask any Oldsmobile owner; he will say "comfort and elegance, as well as power and durability—best car for the money ever produced." Ask for demonstration. A. M. Lewis, local dealer.

Dr. C. E. Underhill of Lovells, was united in marriage to Miss Grace McNeil at the latter's home in Buffalo, Thursday, March 15. Mr. and Mrs. Underhill arrived in Lovells last Thursday morning and are now at home to their friends.

Do you want good roads? If so vote YES on the "Amendment to the Constitution required to enable Michigan to receive Federal aid." The election of this amendment will bring to Michigan \$2,186,756.00 from the Federal government, for use in building roads. Vote yes and ask your friends to do so also.

Capt. W. H. Case has announced that he would raise a company of troops in Grayling and vicinity. A call for volunteers is now out and open to anyone between the ages of 18 and 45 years. Applications may be made direct with Capt. Case or at the Avalanche office. The former was a lieutenant in the Spanish-American war and stands high in military circles and the young man who comes under his command may be assured of having a live captain.

The Grayling Citizen's band gave a public concert in the School gymnasium last Friday evening. There was a large crowd out to enjoy the music. The band rendered a fine program and each number was liberally applauded. The boys have been practicing a number of new compositions and these added largely to the pleasure of the evening. For good measure, after the concert, the people were invited to enjoy an hour of dancing. Bandmaster Clark is entertaining an idea of making this a regular periodical feature during the winter months. This is surely appreciated by the public.

Supt. A. A. Ellsworth made a business trip to Detroit last Friday.

Arthur Anderson of Detroit visited friends here over Sunday last.

Mrs. Peter Davidson is spending a few days in Bay City this week.

Miss Beattie Smith of Marlette is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. W. Hanson.

Wayne Thompson of Detroit is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thompson.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reagan of the South side March 9.

Arnold Lauridsen of the M.C. freight office, is in Bay City on business for a couple of weeks.

Leo Jorgensen left last night for Detroit, where he expects to remain for several months.

The M. E. Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. M. A. Bates next week Friday afternoon.

Save tire expense by using Maxotires. They will save you about 500%.

Henry Joseph, distributor.

Miss Florence Smith is home for the spring vacation from Reading, Michigan, where she teaches school.

Misses Clara Nelson and Leora Ellsworth are home from the Ypsilanti Normal to spend the Easter vacation.

Henry Joseph was in West Branch Monday and while there established an agency for Maxotires, of which he is state agent.

Clear vision does not always mean easy vision. You may have weak muscles, hence eye strain. See Hathaway about it.

Don't lock your door AFTER your horse is stolen—nor buy fire insurance AFTER your property is burned. See Geo. L. Alexander & Son.

Easter cards now on display. Many new ideas in booklets and postcards. You are cordially invited to visit our store and look over this fine assortment.

Sorenson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Boesen entertained fifteen friends at their home last Sunday afternoon in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Boesen. At five o'clock a delicious luncheon was served to the guests.

A fine Art Garland hard coal heater for sale at a big bargain if taken at once. 15-inch fire pot. Here is a chance to save money. Phone or inquire at Avalanche office.

O. P. Schumann.

Mrs. A. C. Marsac and Mrs. T. J. McClellan of Bay City are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Tromble. Mrs. MacClellan is the mother of Frances MacClellan, who taught music in Grayling several years ago, and who since has become a grand opera singer.

The dancing party at the Temple theatre last Saturday evening was the last one to be given by the Danish Brotherhood society this season. It was well attended and a good time was had by all. The parties given by this society this winter have all been very enjoyable, and it is hoped that they may continue giving them next winter.

Peter Oulett, a Frenchman who had been making his home in Grayling for several years, died at Mercy hospital Sunday afternoon. He was about 75 years of age. As far as is known he left no relatives. The funeral was held from St. Mary's church, Rev. Fr. Riess officiating. The remains were interred in Elmwood cemetery.

The date of the Chautauqua, as it comes on the circuit next summer, will be August 8 to 12. The secretary of the Board of trade, just received word from the Central Community Chautauqua system to this effect. An outline of the program was enclosed and judging from the description given, it is one that would be hard to beat. It is up to our local people to get busy and organize their forces to boost for, and make this undertaking a rousing success, as it deserves. The Ladies of the Good Fellowship club have charge of the ticket sales, this important part being in good hands; while the Board of trade backs the venture financially, and will look after the details, etc.

Messrs Arthur McIntyre and Tony Nelson of the Grayling Vulcanizing & Tire Supply company say that they are open now for business. Mr. McIntyre who spent several weeks in one of the tire factories learning the latest and best methods for tire repairing, is right on the job and says that they have a nice lot of work on hand now and that orders are coming in every day. Both boys are hustlers and the public may be assured that they will attend strictly to business, and that orders will be properly and promptly attended to. Their place of business will be open from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., and Saturday nights they will be open from 6:00 to 8:00 p. m. They are located two doors west of the Russell hotel.

The Milton Simpson Estate has been settled up, and the business is now being managed under the name of "The Simpson Company," the following persons being the sole owners, Saloma A. Simpson, Laura G. Simpson and Harry E. Simpson, as manager.

NOTICE—All persons owing the late Peter Oulett are hereby ordered to pay same to Rev. J. J. Riess, Grayling. Dated Mar. 29, 1917. t.

BLACKSMITHING—My blacksmith and repair shop is again open for business with a competent man in charge. All work will be promptly and neatly done in a workmanship manner. 3-29-3 Wm. McCullough.

New Easter Styles

Every day we are receiving New Spring Merchandise

Ladies' Spring Coats, Skirts and Millinery

A big stock that is well selected is here for your inspection

We want you to see the new Sport Silks in the new colors.

Our shelves are full of the New Spring Wash Goods, such as Voiles in satin stripes and printed patterns, Percales, Gingham and Sport Stripe Materials.

The spring styles in Ladies' Shoes are here, and at lower than present prices.

The prettiest assortment of Ladies' Collars we have ever shown—25c, 50c, 75c and up.

A full line of Childrens' Wash Dresses—50c to \$2.00.

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Clothes

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are still \$17, but the price of nearly everything else has jumped.

When the war came everyone in the clothing business thought that wool would go up. The makers of Styleplus Clothes \$17 on account of their extensive advertising were duty bound to keep on supplying the public with "all wool fabrics, expert tailoring, the skill of a great designer," at the known price \$17—provided there was any way on earth to do it.

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tising "the price remains the same." Volume doubled, manufacturing costs dropped because of the increased production—new efficiency and new economies came to light through the "necessity of the hour."

Incidentally, the makers as well as ourselves have been content with a smaller profit in order to keep your price the same.

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No Eggs, Milk or Butter

The following recipe shows how an appetizing, wholesome cake can be made without expensive ingredients.

In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of ROYAL Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup white
1 cup seed cake
1/2 cup shortening
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The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been added together; mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loaf pan (round tin with hole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

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Correspondence.

Beaver Creek.

Walter Nelson and wife were at Roscommon Thursday.

Frank Millikin and brother, Earl, made a business trip to Roscommon Thursday.

C. F. Kinney and wife visited Wm. Millikin's Sunday afternoon.

Arthur Gile is expected home from El Paso, Texas this week.

George Skingsley attempted to call on a "friend" east of Grayling, Mar. 17th, but on account of the heavy snow storm the visit had to be postponed until the 24th, then he was fortunate enough to make the trip.

The Torrey auction at Roscommon, Saturday 24th was well attended, A. Ellis being the auctioneer.

A stranger should not be misused, but people should never be too quick to take up with them, as a stranger came to F. E. Love's, the 13th and put up a good appearance and Mr. Love was kind enough to let him stay and board with him until Saturday morning. During his stay he purchased the home and farm of William Millikin, gave his personal check for \$200.00 to bind the deal until deeds could be made. He also hired Frank Millikin and wife for one year to live on this farm. F. E. Love's hired man took this man, Wm. Millikin and son,

Frank to Grayling Saturday, at which time the deal was to be closed. On their arrival in town this man excused himself to go to the hotel to change clothing and his companions are still waiting for his return.

Lloyd Marlowe, who is employed at the duPont plant, was home over Sunday.

L. B. Merrill of Grayling made a short visit out to his farm last week.

Liam Kille and wife were in Grayling Wednesday.

A. Ellis made a business trip to Grayling Wednesday.

Eldorado Nuggets.

Augustus Funch of Pere Cheney is working at James F. Crane's well, which requires extensive repairs.

Wm. Fairbrother and family moved into the Peter Johnson house last Thursday.

The Roscommon-Mio stage will change its course somewhat April 1st. From the Scott school house it will go east to the Knight farm, thence north toward Eldorado, instead of north from the Scott school house as at present.

Harry Williams was a Grayling caller Thursday.

Elmer Head finished his winter's work, hauling logs and pulp wood to the switch near Roscommon, one day last week.

Ernest P. Richardson was an Eldorado caller Sunday.

There will be two auction sales in

the neighborhood soon. Elmer Head will hold one April 4th, and Mrs. Geo. Hartman, April 11th.

The Eldorado Literary club will resume its meetings Saturday evening, April 7th. Come in and see us.

Mrs. John Hall and daughter, Helen, returned to their home in Vanderbilt Thursday.

They say "Spring has come." They also say "All men are liars." Don't believe any of them.

Coy News.

Well our snow seems to be going off at last.

Frank Richardson and wife spent Sunday with their daughter, Emma, and Nancy McGillis at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Newton, daughter and son spent Sunday at the O. B. Scott home.

Mrs. E. B. Hollowell was a caller at the Geo. Pearsall home Saturday.

LeRoy Scott spent Sunday with his Uncle, Alvin Scott.

Mrs. Geo. Royce was a caller at the O. B. Scott farm Tuesday.

H. C. Newton finished moving his goods to the farm in Richfield township Saturday.

Charles Scott was a caller at the Geo. Royce farm Monday.

Mrs. O. B. Scott is on the sick list.

Easy Money for Grifters.

The officials of the police department have sent out a warning to the people of Detroit and Michigan, as well, to be extremely cautious in paying cash subscriptions to strangers. Soliciting frauds or most every description have been reported of late which resulted in a general notice from the department to the public to be on guard.

Charitable schemes seem to be the most successful and prospective contributors are urged to insist on seeing the stranger's credentials authorizing such collections and then satisfy themselves that the authority is genuine before parting with their money.

It has been reported in several upstate cities, several men have been soliciting funds for an Association of Railroad men which has no existence. During the recent embargo period considerable money was collected on the theory that the subscription would be advantageous to the shipper in getting quick action on his delayed freight shipments.

Detectives Mitts and Smith of the Detroit Police department picked up two men Saturday charged with soliciting for a Polish publication that does not exist. Both are charged with forgery and larceny by check and are in custody, pending trial, in default of \$1000 bail. Numerous other fake schemes have been reported to the Detroit police from upstate towns, where the organization or individual to be assisted are alleged to be located in Detroit which prompted the Michigan Manufacturers' association to issue bulletins of warning requesting the public to carefully investigate all soliciting schemes, especially those claiming patriotic motives, which is a popular appeal these days, and pays big returns to the fakers.

Samuel C. Bittle, 52 years old, well known throughout the sporting world for his successful bare fist battle with Harry Gilmore on Harsen Island, below Algonac, 30 years ago, died at his home in Detroit.

Alfred Hall, a 14-year-old school boy, residing near Buchanan, Berrien county, shot himself just above the heart. The lad had been asked to go to the school superintendent's office and feared a beating.

An epidemic of smallpox caused the closing of the Argentine schools and the suspension of public meetings. The first case was not diagnosed as smallpox, it is said, until the patient had been ill several days.

In view of the threatening war situation, a movement was launched for a strenuous membership campaign for the Saginaw Red-Cross throughout the city and county. It is expected to secure 2,500 or more members.

Joseph H. Meade, a well-known farmer of Kalamazoo county, who believed himself the nephew and sole heir to the estate of the late James G. Long, and who was given the estate, must relinquish every cent of it. The bulk of the estate goes to Wallace L. Long, an inmate of the Michigan Soldiers' Home, Grand Rapids, and the rest to two half sisters, James G. Long was the son of Luman Long, who married five times. The many relationships growing out of these marriages were responsible for Meade's belief that he was a nephew of the son. The estate amounted to about \$10,000.

A motor company at Saginaw has signed a contract with a Toronto concern for a quarter of a million dollars' worth of engines for tractors.

Charles Derocher, a farmer near Escanaba, has brought suit against the Western Union Telegraph Co. for \$5,000. He asks damages for mental anguish caused by the delay of a message announcing the death of his father at Champion, Mich. He alleges that an extra \$4 was paid for delivery charges to him in the country. The message was not delivered until after his father was buried.

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MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Farmers of Chippewa county are considering the purchase of a grist mill in Sault Ste. Marie.

Knights of Pythias of northern Michigan will have a jollification and field day meet in Traverse City, May 4.

The Menominee County Cow Testing association, the first one of its kind in the upper peninsula, will be organized at Daggett in a few days.

By taking charge of a motion picture for a day, the Kappa Delta literary girls of Holland high school realized \$30 for the Belgian relief fund.

One man was killed and several injured in a wreck near Waterloo. The wreck occurred on the air line of the New York Central. A freight train jumped the track and ran into the wreckage, killing the fireman and injuring the engineer and a number of passengers.

The Union Telephone Co., which recently voted to increase its capital stock from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000, has decided to rebuild its plants at Corunna, Mt. Pleasant, Alma and Lakeview. The cable system will be used. The company has just completed the rebuilding of its system at Owosso.

For the third time in as many years Livingston county has been the first to return the state taxes to the state. E. N. Bruley, county treasurer, has received a letter from Auditor General Fuller congratulating him. Wm. Peavey, Howell township treasurer, collected every cent of the taxes assessed against his township.

M. A. C. students who take their meals at the college's boarding clubs in East Lansing were fed during the last three months at a cost of slightly less than 15 cents a meal, notwithstanding the havoc which the high cost of living has wrought. These low rates were achieved practically without stinting students in any direction, though an experiment of substituting rice for potatoes several times a week in one of the women's clubs has been successful.

The engineering faculty of the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor has petitioned the regents to tender to the government all the facilities of the different colleges and schools of the U. of M. in case of war. The chemistry department of the engineering college could, under the proposed plan, be used as a source of supply of materials needed for explosives, the engineering college could turn out ammunition on whatever scale is adaptable to it, and other schools and branches of the university could, according to the engineering faculty, contribute in some direct way for the benefit of the country.

Home and school gardens will be undertaken this summer by pupils of the Escanaba schools.

Postal savings in Pontiac have increased from \$15,000 to \$40,000 in the last 11 months, according to Postmaster E. E. Hyman.

The first wolf that has been killed in Genesee county for more than 30 years was shot by William H. Rose, about two miles south of Linden.

The railroad commission authorized the Pennsylvania-Detroit Railroad company, the new line which the Pennsylvania intends to build into Detroit, to issue and sell \$5,000,000 worth of stock.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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Wm. A. Montgomery, Defendant. In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery, made and entered on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1917, in the above entitled cause, I, the subscriber, a special Circuit Court Commissioner of the County of Crawford, appointed by the Court, will sell at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford, on the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon of that day all those certain lands and premises, situate and being in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The west half of southwest quarter of section fourteen and northeast quarter of section twenty-two, except sixty acres off of north side of same, and northeast quarter of northwest quarter and southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section fifteen, township twenty-five north of range four west.

OSCAR PALMER, Special Circuit Court Commissioner, January 27, 1917.

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John J. Riess having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to John J. Riess, the Executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 16th day of April, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper, printed and circulated in said county.

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